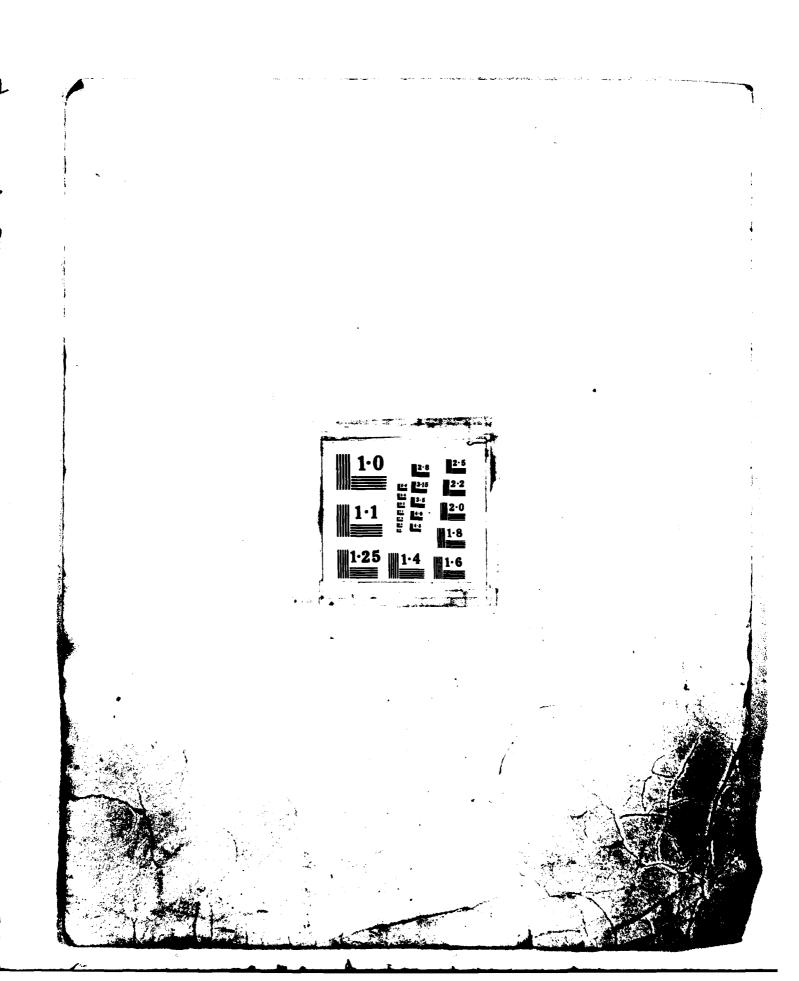
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The inspection of Pier 4 was performed at the request of the Naval Weapons Station, Concord, California. The pier was damaged when it was impacted by a departing vessel. It is reported that the stern of the vessel struck the pier at approximately Bent 120.

1.1 REPORT CONTENT

The report contains a description of inspection procedures, the results of the inspection and analysis of the findings, accompanied by pertinent drawings and photographs. Specifically, the inspection results include a description of inspection procedures, the observed condition and a structural assessment of that condition. Recommendations for the facility, including cost estimates (based on present local prices) for any repair work, are also included. Structural assessment calculations and cost estimate breakdowns can be found in the Appendix.

Between October 18 and October 20, 1982, a CHESNAVFACENGCOM engineer, accompanied by a three-person Engineer/Diver inspection team from Childs Engineering, performed an on-site underwater inspection of the damaged section of Pier 4, Naval Weapons Station in Concord, California. The level of inspection to be performed, the type of structure being inspected, actual on-site conditions and past experience, combined with a thorough knowledge of engineering theory, dictated the inspection procedures that were followed.

2.1 LEVEL OF INSPECTION

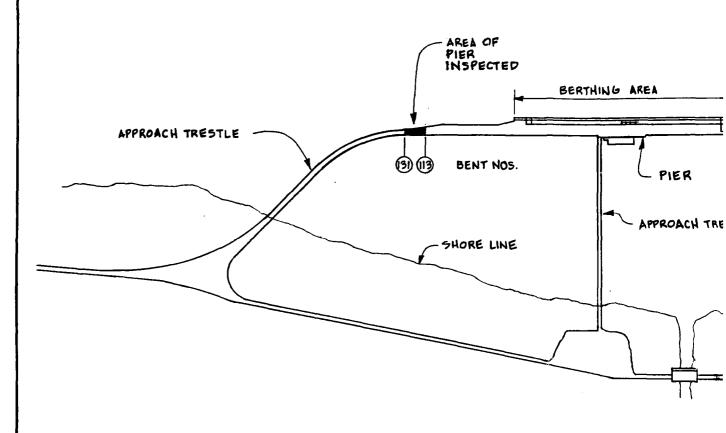
The inspection techniques used had to be sufficient to yield information necessary to make a general condition assessment of the supporting structure of the facility, identify any areas that were mechanically damaged or in advanced states of deterioration and formulate repair and maintenance recommendations with cost estimates. In general, this means utilizing visual/tactile inspection techniques. Photographic documentation of typical as well as unusual conditions was also obtained.

2.2 INSPECTION PROCEDURE

A dive team consisting of two divers and a tender performed the on-site inspection. Each pile in the damaged section of the pier (see Figure 1) was inspected for its full exposed length. Since visibility under water was less than 3", the piles were examined utilizing tactile techniques.

It should be noted that in general, non-destructive methods of inspection were employed. The conditions noted reflect direct observation of structural components. Information which may infer knowledge of conditions not accessible by non-destructive

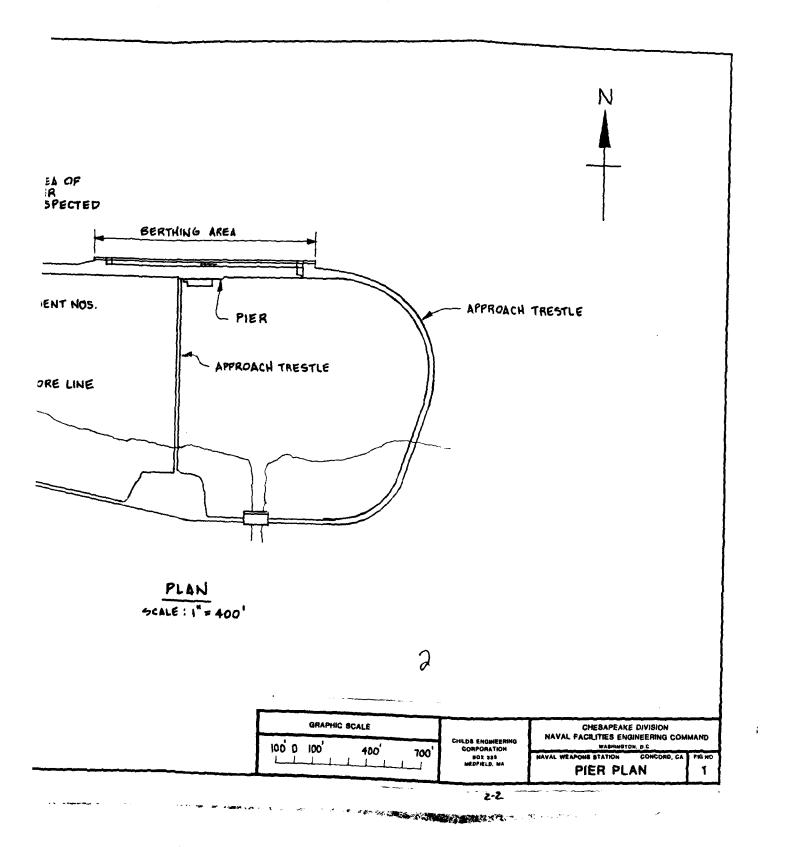
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testing methods is based on government-furnished documents, our knowledge of structures in similar environments and/or generally accepted engineering theories.

Several core samples were taken in two of the damaged piles. The samples were taken to assess the condition of the timber, presence of marine borers and condition of preservative treatment.

2.3 INSPECTION EQUIPMENT

Equipment used for the inspection included a Minolta SRT 200 camera with 28mm and 200mm lenses and strobe, pneumatic coring machine, dive lights, 100-foot sounding tape, 200-foot fiberglass tape, 6-foot folding rules, chipping hammers and dive knives.

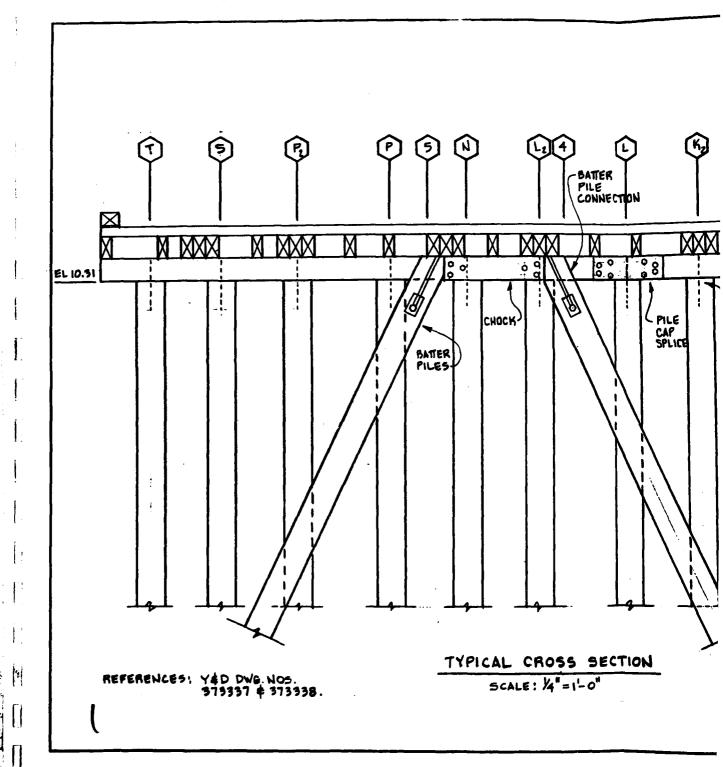
Choice of equipment was made as a result of past experience. Most of the equipment is straightforward, easy to implement, and has proven reliable under hard use.

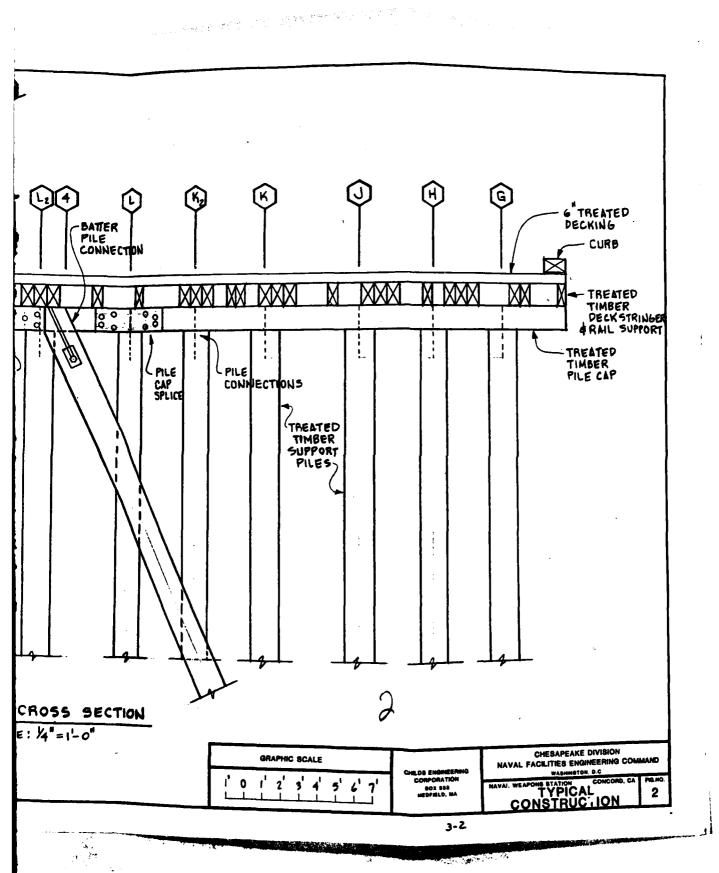
3.1 DESCRIPTION

Pier 4 is an ordnance transfer pier located within the Naval Weapons Station Complex.

The pier was constructed in 1946 and extended in 1973. The original pier section is of timber construction with treated timber piles supporting treated timber pile caps, stringers and decking (see Figure 2).

The new section of the pier is of reinforced concrete construction with precast concrete piles supporting a reinforced concrete deck. This inspection was limited to Bents 113 through 131 (see Figure 1), which were damaged as the result of a recent collision. The damaged portion of the pier is of the older timber construction.





3.2 OBSERVED INSPECTION CONDITION

Several elements of the pier have been damaged as a result of the recent collision. Figure 3 is a summary illustration of the damage conditions. Specific structural anomalies are discussed below.

As a result of the collision, the pier between Bents 116 and 124 has a permanent deflection to the south. The maximum deflection appears to be at Bent 120 and is approximately 12" from original position. The displacement is illustrated in several ways. At the pile to pile cap connection of the vertical piles, there is a distinct rotation of the pile head. This rotation has resulted in a loss of bearing between the pile and pile cap. Typically, the pile head is bearing at the north side and there is a 1/16" to 3/8" gap at the south side (see Figure 4 and Photo 1).

At the mudline the piles have also displaced. This is illustrated by a mounding of displaced soil on the south side and a furrow where soil is settled on the north side (see Figure 5). The pile displacement at the mudline appears permanent since the soil has re-formed around the pile.

In addition to the pile head rotation, many of the piles are displaced along the length of the pile cap. This displacement is the result of fastener bending (drift pin) or local failure of the pile head timber or pile cap timber (see Figure 4 and Photo 2). In cases where the fasteners have bent, there is no noticable damage to the pile head or pile cap. Where the fasteners remain straight, either the pile cap or pile head timber, or both, have failed locally. Pile cap failure usually is illustrated by a vertical split through the pile cap which has allowed the fastener to slide. Pile head failure is illustrated by a splitting of the pile head (see Photo #3) which has

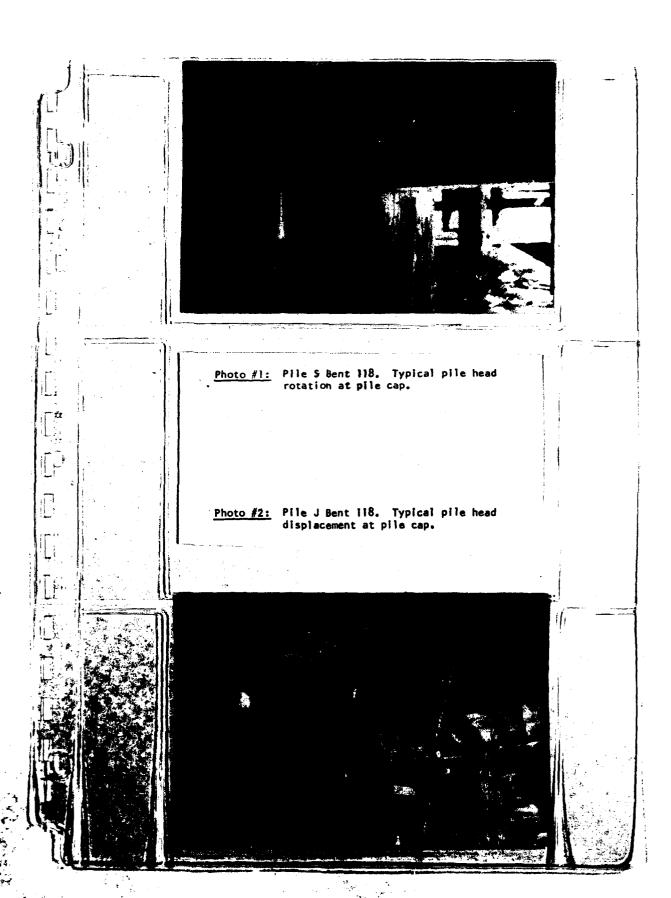
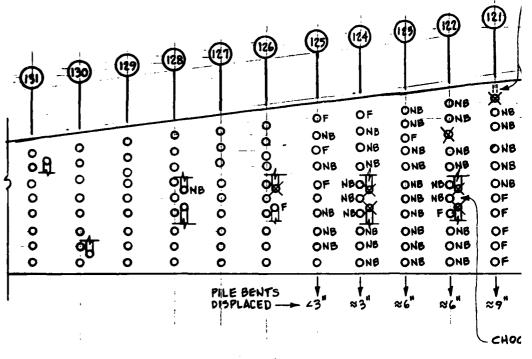


Photo #3: Pile L₂ Bent 121. Chock in pile head.



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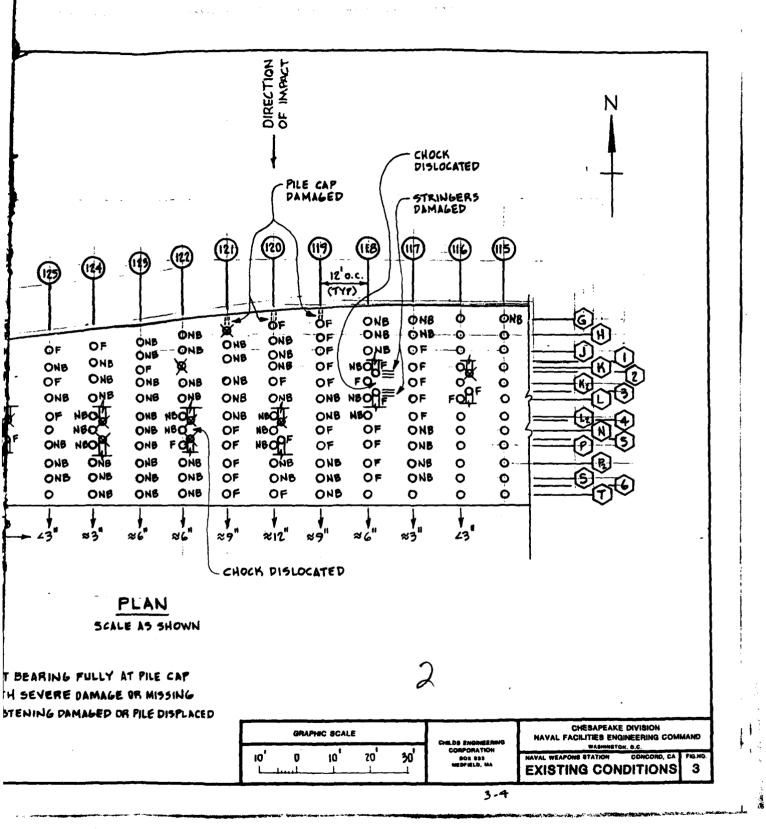
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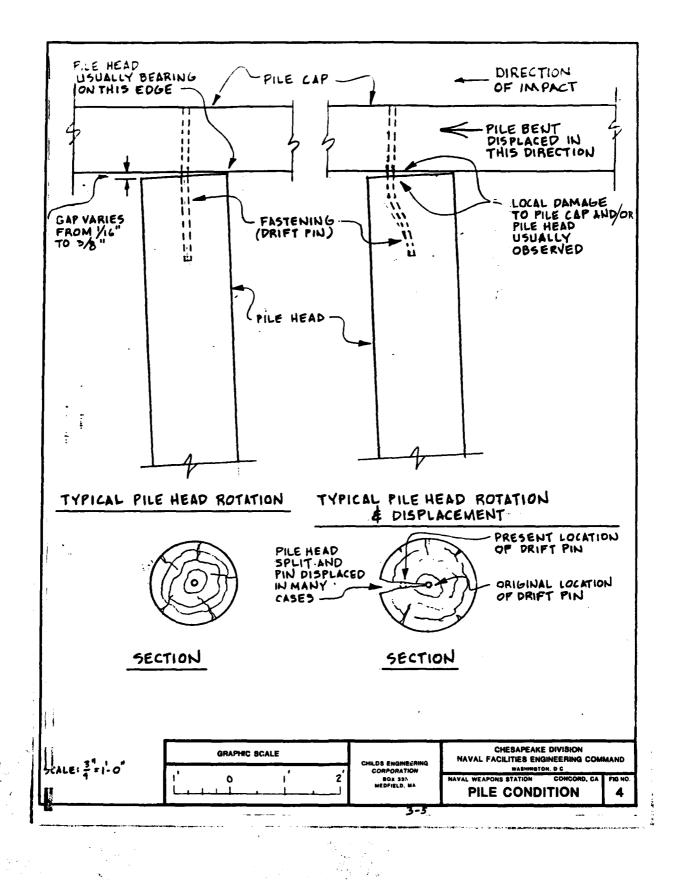
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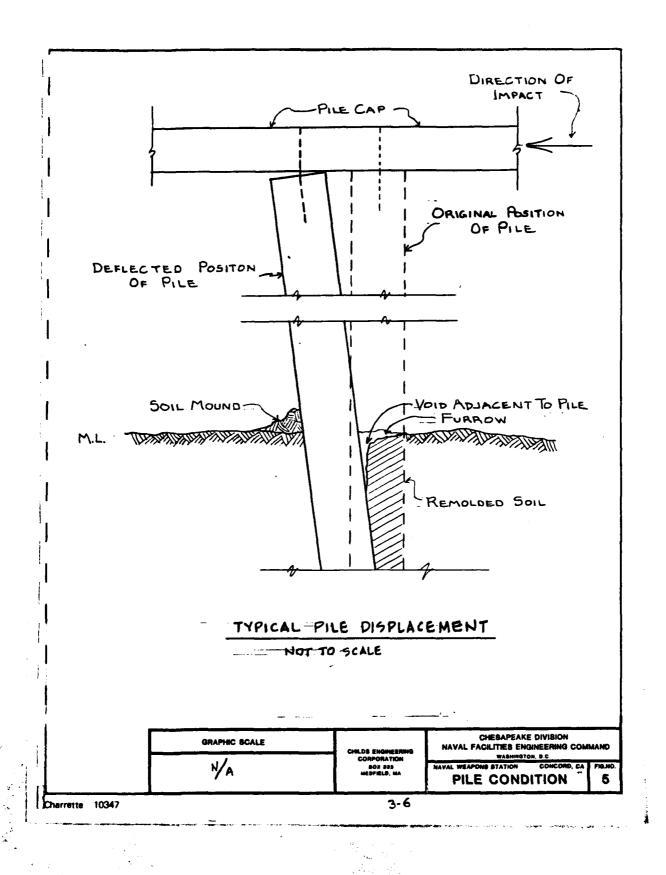
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₩ - PILE WITH SEVERE DAMAGE OR MISSING

F - PILE FASTENING DAMAGED OR PILE DISPLACED







allowed the pile head to displace. In one instance, Pile G, Bent 124, the pile is dislocated completely from the drift pin (see Photo 4).

In two instances, Pile K Bent 122 and Pile H Bent 121, the entire pile was damaged. Pile K Bent 122 splintered at the mudline rather than displacing the soil and Pile H Bent 121 was snapped off at the mudline and broke out from the fastening at the pile cap. It appears that Pile H Bent 121 took almost a direct hit from the vessel which explains its complete displacement.

The batter piles in some instanc 3 have been displaced also. Two of the batter piles exhibit compression failure at the mudline, Pile 5 Bent 124 and Pile 5 Bent 122. Many of the batter piles which were put in tension, have split at the pile head above the connection (see Figure 6 and Photo 5). The batter piles which have split at the heads are Pile 2 Bent 116, Pile 4 Bents 120, 122, 124 and 126.

In general, the compression batter piles have crushed into the stringers at the connection (see Figure 6 and Photo 6).

At Bent 118, both batter piles are sound but the associated chock and deck stringers are damaged (see Figure 6 and Photos 7 and 8). The chock has rotated and the stringers over the compression batter pile are severely crushed while the stringers over the tension batter pile have been torn apart.

At each batter pile there is a corresponding vertical pile with a tension connection. Two of the vertical piles, Bent 122 Pile P and Bent 116 Pile L, are split above the connection as a result of the uplift forces generated during the impact (see Photo 9).

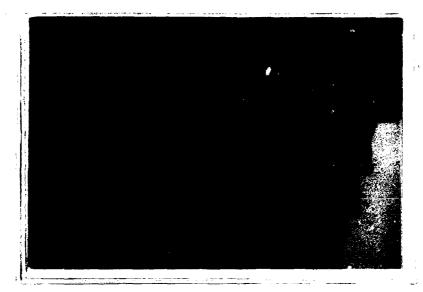


Photo #4: Pile G Bent 124. Pile head dislocated from fastener.

Photo #5: Pile 2 Bent 120. Typical tension failure at batter pile connection.





Photo #6: Pile 1 Bent 124. Typical compression side batter pile dislocation and crushing.

Photo #7: Pile 1 Bent 118. Severe damage to stringers at compression batter connection.

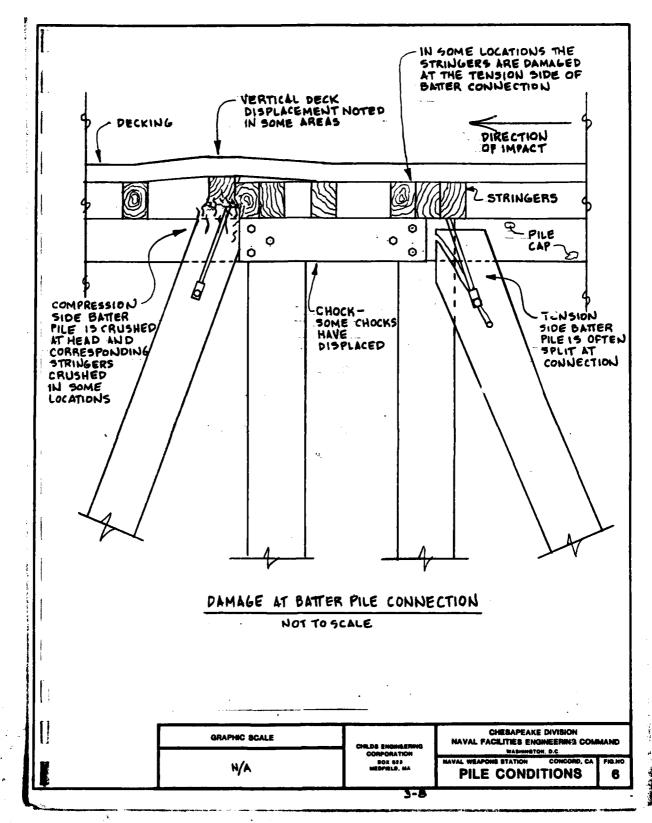




Photo #8: Pile 2 Bent 118. Severe damage to stringer at tension batter pile connection.

Photo #9: Pile K₂ Bent 116. Typical pile head failure in vertical pile with tension connection.





The north end of the pile caps at Bents 119, 120 and 121 have suffered varying degrees of damage. The worst condition is the splitting off of approximately 4 feet of cap timber at Bent 120 with moderate splitting and crushing of the other two cap ends. In this same area several stringers and their associated decking have been destroyed (see Photos 10, 11 and 12).

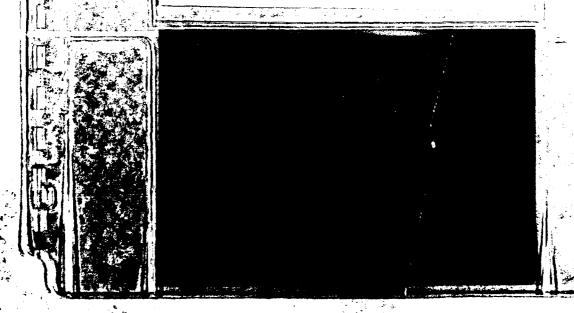
Core samples taken at several locations on two of the damaged piles indicated that the timber is still in excellent condition and the treatment is still present.

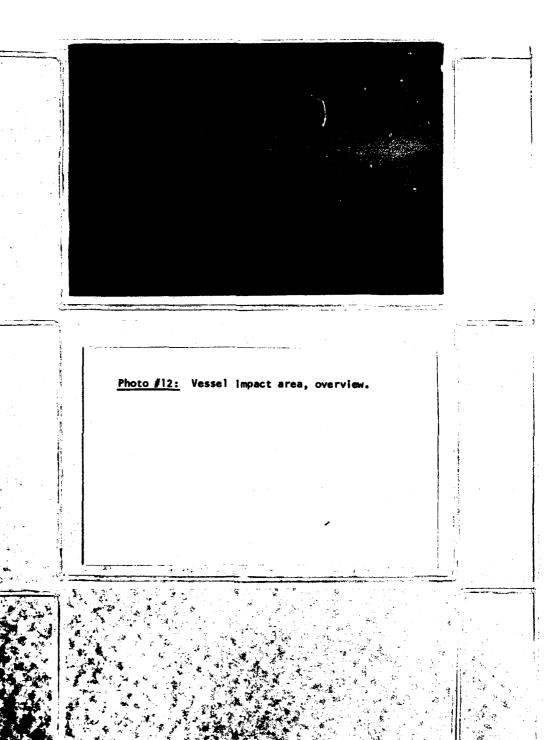
No evidence of marine borer attack was noted. This could reasonably be expected since the water is almost fresh.



Photo #10: North side Bent 120. Damage to pile cap at vessel impact area.

Photo #11: Condition of north side of pier topside at vessel impact location.





3.3 STRUCTURAL CONDITION ASSESSMENT

Piles which have a permanent deflection in excess of 3" at the head are no longer capable of supporting the design vertical loads without modification. Calculations indicate the imposed bending stress where permanent deflection exceeds 3" plus the vertical loads will yield an excessive combined stress. The vertical piles in Bents 117 through 124 must be replaced or end conditions modified, such that the design loads will not cause excessive stressing (see calculations in Appendix). The two vertical piles which are broken, Pile H Bent 121 and Pile K Bent 122 are not capable of handling any loads.

The two batter piles, Pile 5 Bent 122 and Pile 5 Bent 124, which have failed in compression, are no longer capable of handling any loads.

The batter piles which have split at the heads as a result of excessive tension are still functional as compression batter piles but no longer offer tension resistance. If the tension connections were relocated, these piles would again be satisfactory.

All piles which are no longer fully bearing on the pile cap should be repaired. Partial bearing under full load could cause excessive crushing of the pile head or pile cap timber.

The north end of the pile caps at Bents 120, 119 and 121 should be repaired to provide support for the stringers and decking.

The batter pile connection chocks at Bents 122 and 118 have displaced and must be refastened to provide a suitable batter pile connection.

The deck stringers over the batter piles at Bent 118 are crushed and torn and can no longer support the imposed rail loads. These stringers must be replaced.

3.4 RECOMMENDATIONS

Repair recommendations are illustrated on Figure 7.

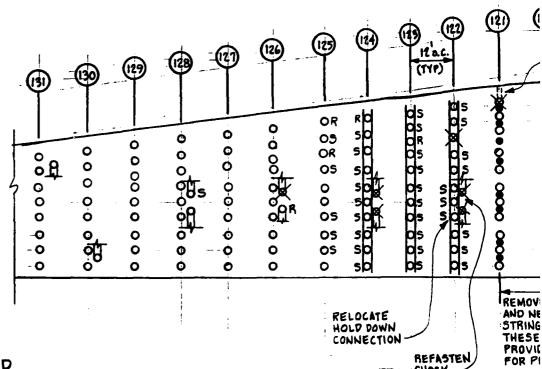
In Bents 119 and 120 it is recommended that nine new vertical piles be driven in each bent adjacent to the existing piles. In Bent 121, one new pile should be driven to replace the damaged pile (Pile H) and eight new vertical piles be driven adjacent to the existing piles. These new piles will strengthen these bents such that they can handle the design loads. A typical pile installation technique is illustrated in Figure 8.

Bracing should be installed, (see Figure 9), on Bents 118, 117, 122, 123 and 124. The bracing will reduce the effects of the permanent pile deflection by reducing the exposed length of the piles and altering the end conditions. Pile K in Bent 122 should be replaced with a new treated pile before the new bracing is installed.

Batter piles which have tension connection failures, Pile 2
Bent 116, Pile 4 Bents 120, 122, 124 and 126, should be replaced
with new treated piles and refastened. Batter piles which have
suffered compression failure, Pile 5 Bents 122 and 124, should be
replaced with new treated piles.

Where the batter pile connection chocks have been displaced, Bents 118 and 122, the chocks should be re-positioned and refastened.

The loss of bearing on many of the effected vertical and batter piles should be corrected by installing hardwood shims (see Figure 10).



REFASTEN CHOCK

LEGEND

REMOVE & REPLACE PILE

NEW PILE

TO NEW BRACING

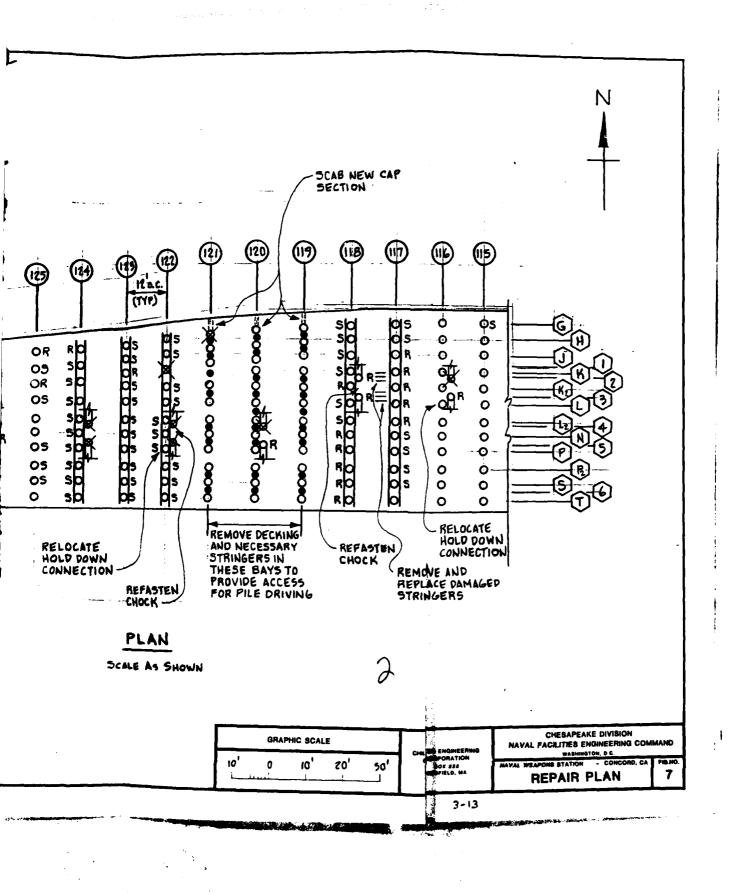
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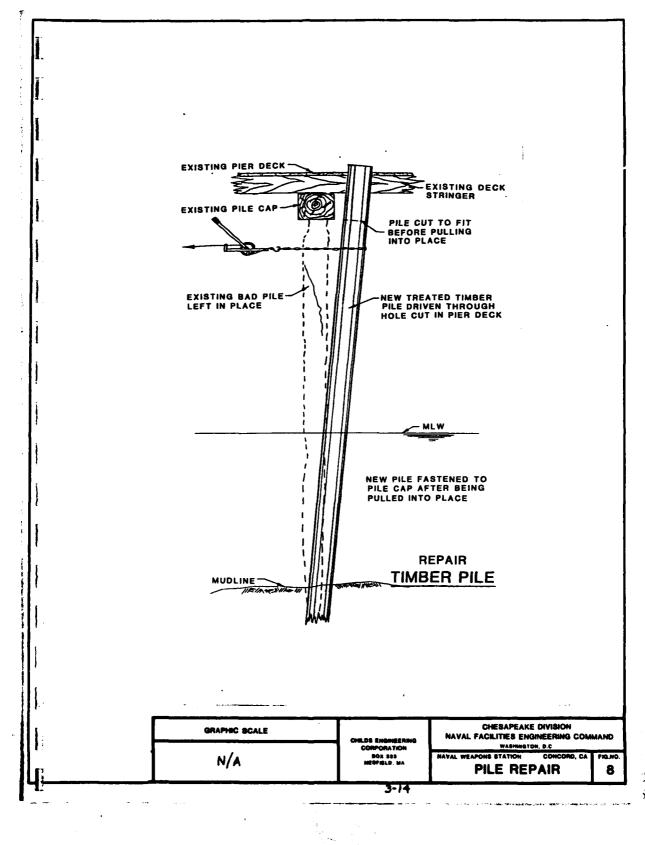
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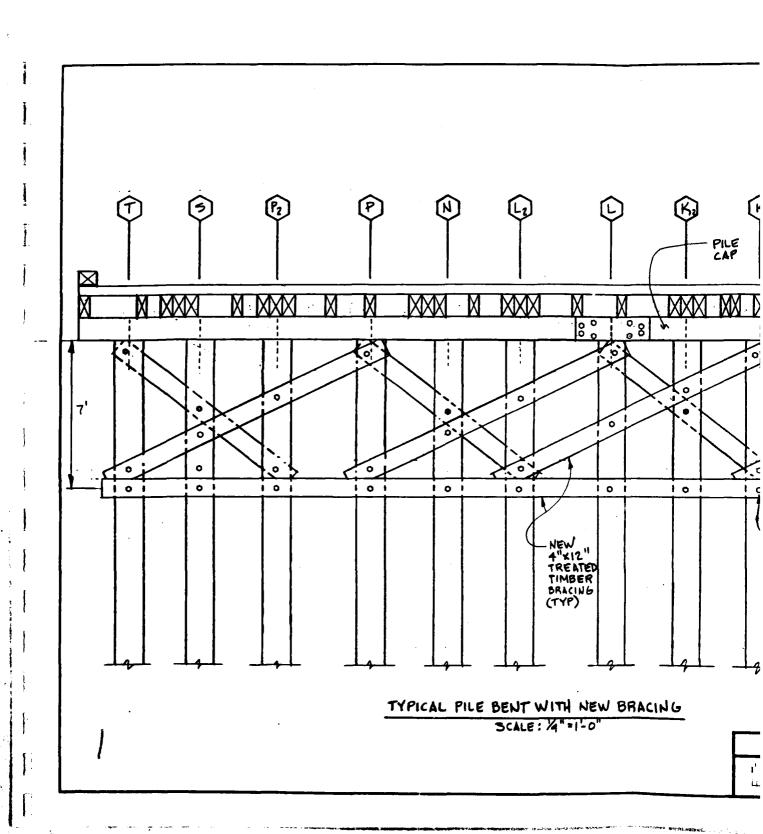
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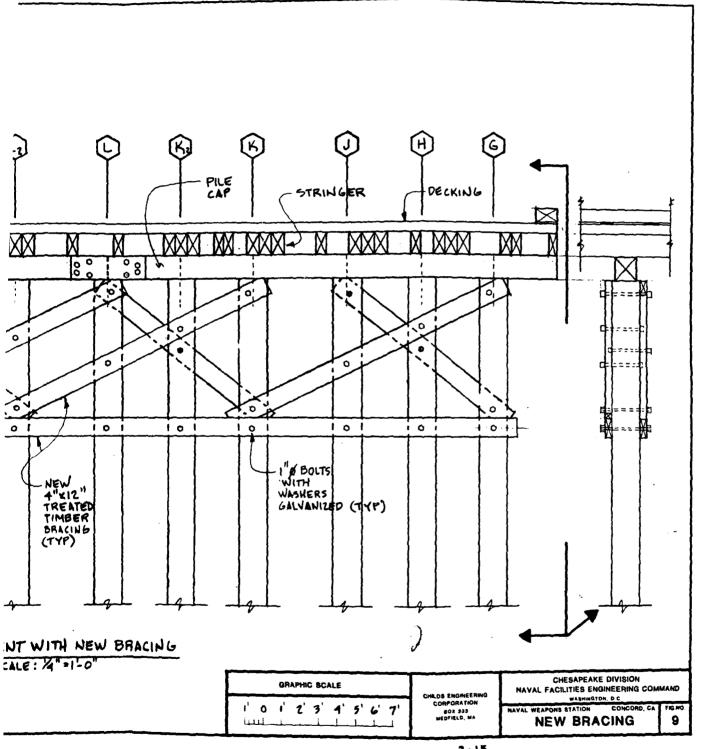
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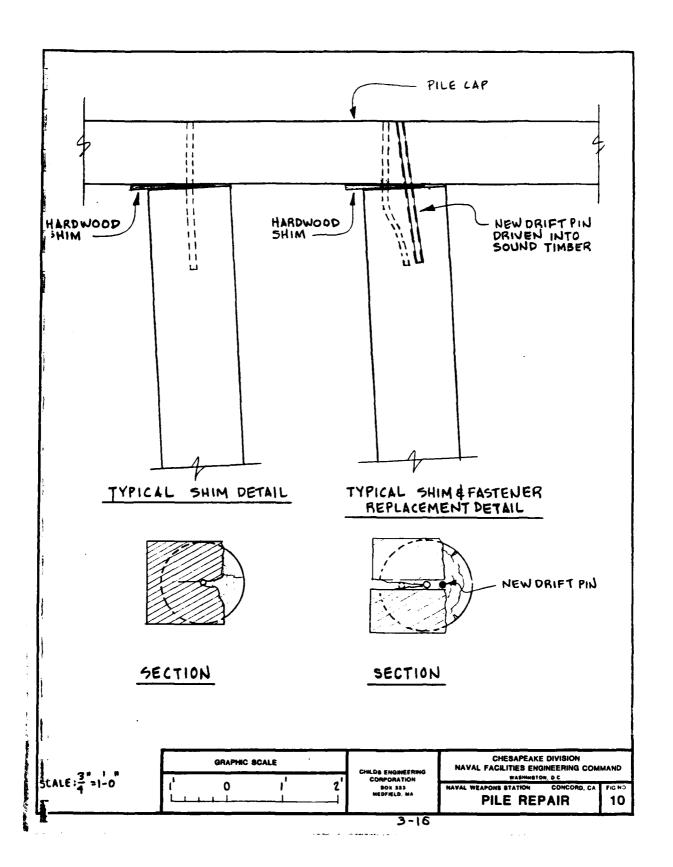
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The shims should be driven into the gaps and nailed in place to prevent slipping.

Where the pile to pile cap fastenings have bent or where local failure at the pile head or pile cap has occurred, new fastenings (drift pins) should be installed into sound timber.

At Bents 122 and 116 where the vertical pile tension connections have failed, the piles should be refastened. It is recommended that the connection pin be relocated 12" below and 90° from the existing connection location.

The damaged stringers at the batter pile connections in Bent 118 should be replaced.

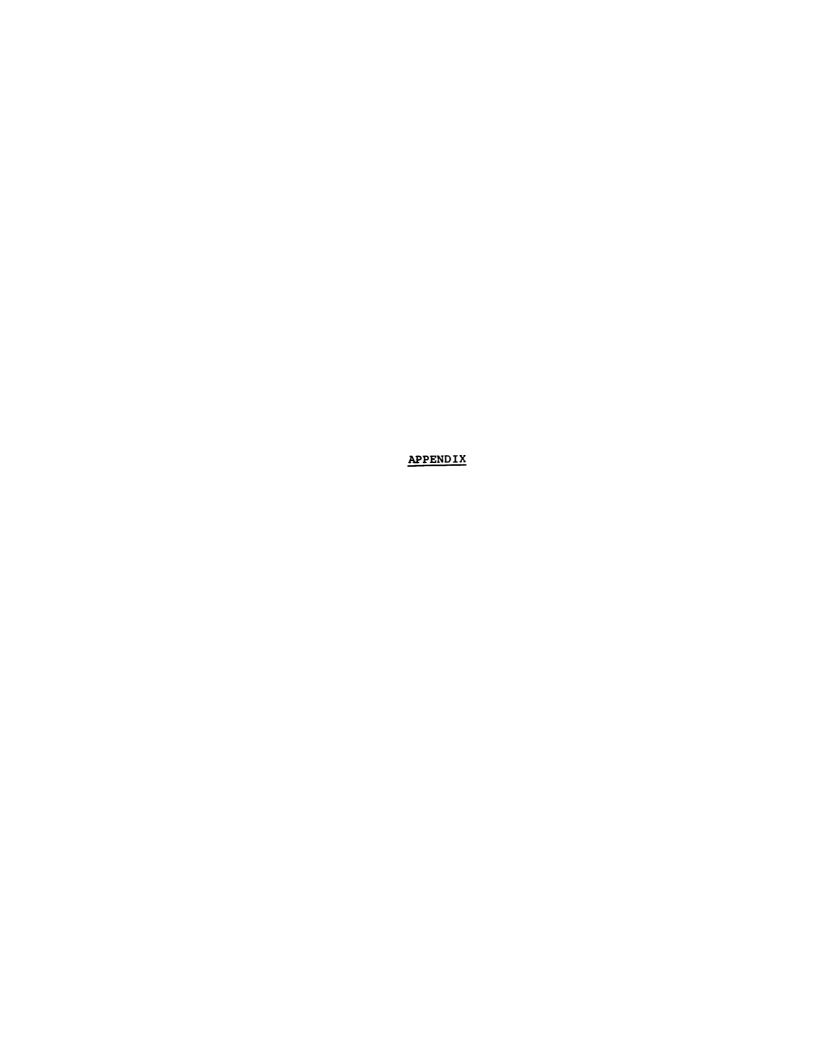
The broken pile caps at Bents 120, 121 and 119 should be repaired by scabbing new sections of pile cap to the old caps.

When re-installing the trackage on the pier, care should be taken to insure that the rails are located over the main stringer groups. If necessary, new stringers should be added to support the rails.

The estimated cost of the proposed repairs is \$153,000.00. A breakdown of the estimated cost can be found in the Appendix. (See Repair Summary Table on following page 3-18)

REPAIR SUMMARY TABLE

<u>Item</u>	Quant	tity
New Piles:		
Vertical - Batter -	28 7	
New Bracing:	5	Bents
Chock Refastening:	2	Bents
Shims:	48	
Pile Refastening:		
Vertical - Batter -	14 5	
Vertical Pile Tension Connection Refastening:	2	
Pile Cap Repair:	3	Bents
Stringer Repair:	2	Bavs



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Pier 4 -Typical Pile: Par GFI -Loa 70' Butt 16" & (ave) Tip 8" d (and) Orivan Capacity 27 tre (and) El. 13,11 E1. 10,31 _ OID MILLW L=30' - Mud line -20,0

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"Timber Couch Monnel", Forest Products Labo, War Regt.

Column capacity -

(Enler) R= ,274 AE/(46)2 W/F.S. of 3

I = (For pin end) = 3/3 (38) = 25.6'

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d= least division of sq. col. having same round col. a critical dianates

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r: 4-14= Z.75"

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T. . 044082 d4

R = PA = 95 (438) = 41,610# = 20,8 to 227 to

540 = 109 8175 d2 = 131 ix3

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Relumne effects of deflection for pile capacita

143 >-12"

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12" = PL3

P = 12" (1500000) 3 (718)

M = PL = 408 + (456) = 186,048 "-#

fb = 5 = 186,048 | 131 = 1420 Psi

w/ 1/4 = 306/9.75" = 31.4 ~ \ \(\sqrt{0.30(1500000)} =

Combined stress!

 $\frac{M/s}{F_b - \frac{9}{A}} + \frac{\frac{P}{A}}{F_L} \leq$

Pp-pile assuming no deal look in lieu of duration hator - From DM-25,

Armo pier train vail look = 2.212/ct/reil

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P = [7.2"/ft, (12') × 8 mils] / = 57.6 %pile = 28.8 m/s.

Exceeds original design - charle pile books board on 600 psf (DM-23) Ammo pien deck loads

P=[50'x12']x,6"/12 = 30"/pile : 15 m/pile Seens like a more versonable design load.

9/4. 20000 1/96in². 315 psi'

 $\frac{\frac{M/s}{F_b - \frac{N}{A}}}{\frac{F_b - \frac{N}{A}}{A}} + \frac{\frac{N}{A}}{\frac{F_a}{A}} \leq 1$

1420 + 315 = 1.20 + .72 · 1.92 > 1

Combre stress exceeds allowable.

Buts 120, 121 -2 119 will require added piles

Check combined stress where perment A is 6".

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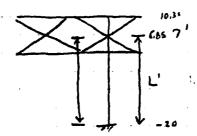
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fb = 1/5 = 710 psi

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Still over stressel - Brace pile lents -



L=1/2 L' = 1/2 (4,85+20+8)
= 1/2(34.85)=17,425
= 209"

F' = 3,619 (1500 000) = 940 ps;

Charle non \$1d = 209/9.75 = 21.4 2 21.2

use combined stress formula:

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315 psi =

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Suggest brazing for bents 123, 122, 1118 - 117

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P= 408/4= 102#

M= 102 (456) = 46512 "-#

Sb = 1/3 = 355 psi

Combined stress -

M 5 + 0/4 < FL

 $\frac{315}{438}$ = 130 + 172 = 1.02 = 1 O.K.

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Check banks 120, 121 and 119 for. Wo. of excha piles required:

Total load per bent - 360 K

Assure maso (Euler) capacity of 40 K New piles required without bracks = 9 piles

New piles required with brace
Rich = \frac{.274 (95) 1500000}{(209"/9.75)^2} = 84972*- 42*

Azt exceeds reasonable driven capacity of 27th

More capacity with brace is 54 k New plas needed with bracing 360/54 = 2 piles -

By inspection - change to drive 9 pikes thon 7 pilos plus breing.

PROBACT SIN : (F-1/20) Inc., (r-1/2) Max. (

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Cost Estimate: West Coast U.S. - Civilian Contractor

New pile - 20'Loa - in place, out-off, fostened.

Verhil - \$20/15 (trahl) × 70' = \$1400

Batter - \$ 22/LF (treated) × 70' = \$1540

Deck removed - 2/s.f.

Stringer removal -42/L.f.

Resocian piles -

Verhal - \$200/pile

Batter - 4500/pile

Shim piles - \$50/pile (hardwood, no treatment)

Bracing - treated timber - in-place including trim

1400/66

Stringer and deck replacement - treated timber - in-place including trim and hardware

4 20/66

MAC (M.) (Agrico) m., String String String

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10,000

New piles - 35

Vertical 28 @ \$1400

#39,200

8atter 7 C \$ 1540

\$10,280

Dock + stringer removal to access new pile driving -

Perk 12'x 3' + 12'x3' + 12'x3' + 12'x3' +12'x3' +12'x3' +12'x3' + 24'x50' = 216 + 1200 = 1416 + 2"2,00

Stringer (3×12') 6 + 20 (24') = 216+ 440L = 696 @ 2.01 - 1,392

Dock + Stringer Replacement

Dark: 1416 0 666/\$ - 8496 60 a 4/18 = \$33,984

Stringer: 696 LF. @ 4.7 6 5/0 = 3272 60 @#4/66= 13,088

Bracing - 212 LA of 4x12 perbent

Sbents @ 212 = 1060 L.f. @ 46/LE = 424069 @4/66 = \$16,960

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Vertical - 14@200/ Pile	[₿] 2,800
Chock relastening LS	800
Pile Hold down conn refusion LS	A 500
Pile cop exclansion W/scales LS	*1 500
Total	#138,736
Contingueure (10%)	*14,000
Budget	#153,000.00

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